

LOCAL NEWS.

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 29.

For this section slightly warmer, fair weather, westerly winds.

DISMEMBERED "POLITICIANS."—It is stated that a few days ago two individuals of this city, whose political status has never been above that of ticket distributors, went to Washington and called upon Mr. Frank Hume. In the course of the interview they informed that gentleman that they were men of political influence in Alexandria—so much so that they could muster one hundred voters apiece, who would cast ballots at their fist. They further told him that it took money to carry on a campaign, and that if he, as an aspirant for Congressional honors, would give them \$25 two hundred votes would be cut and dried for him as soon as they reached home. Mr. Hume treated his visitors with all consideration, but being called from his office a few minutes told his guests to make themselves at home, at the same time directing their attention to a bottle of whisky on the table, and signifying that they could riggle themselves in his absence. Mr. Hume returned shortly afterwards to renew the negotiation, but was somewhat surprised to find both his callers in a comatose condition, their eyes glassy, their speechless and the bottle on the table as dry as a powder horn. He acted with all promptness under the circumstances—wrote two labels with the name and destination of each individual upon them, supplemented with the telephone "handle with care," placed the same in their button-holes and had the "chauffeurs" conveyed in his wagon to the Alexandria boat, on which they were carefully laid and in due time landed with the other inanimate freight in this city.

THE VIRGINIA CLAIM ON THE CANAL.—The Hagerstown Mail, referring to the claim of Mr. W. H. Marbury, of this city, asserted to be a preferred lien over all others on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal and recently filed in the Washington courts, as heretofore mentioned in the GAZETTE, says: "This is one of the claims which have been hanging over the canal company since the day it was incorporated. It grew out of the assumption by the company of the debt of the old Potomac Navigation Company in consideration of a deed of all its property and franchises to the canal company. The creditors of the Potomac company to the amount of \$56,896.48 came in and accepted the terms of the Chesapeake and Ohio, and received bonds. These bonds were set up as a first lien upon the canal in the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia vs. Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company et al., reported in the thirty-second Maryland reports. In the exhaustive opinion of the court delivered by Judge Miller in that case the rights and priorities of these claimants are fully set forth. It is there decided that they by accepting the terms offered by the canal company waived their lien and priority except as given them in sec. 5, act of 1844, ch. 281. This section provides that when the revenues of the canal company shall be more than sufficient to pay the interest on the bonds of 1844 the sum of \$200,000 shall be annually appropriated by the canal company to pay the interest on the bonds of the Potomac Company claimants."

POLITICAL.—Mr. G. S. P. Triplett, of Colpeper, a member of the Eighth district committee, writes Chairman Ellyson that the outlook for the election of Gen. W. H. F. Lee is very bright. He is certain that the democrats will succeed and that Mr. Frank Hume, the independent candidate, will be defeated by a considerable majority.—*Richmond State.*

The republicans of Gem Spring, Fairfax county, held a meeting last night at which speeches were made urging the republicans not to support Mr. Hume for Congress. A gentleman from Fairfax county who was to the city to-day says that Gen. Mahone has written letters to several republicans in this district urging them to support Mr. Hume for Congress. He says a prominent republican who received one of these letters wrote Gen. Mahone a "scorching" reply, and says he positively will not vote for or support Mr. Hume. Another gentleman from Fairfax in the city to-day says U. S. Marshall R. Farr drove through Fairfax county on Sunday last and with his own hands posted circulars attacking Gen. Lee and favorable to Mr. Hume.

I. O. G. T.—At a regular meeting of Talmage Lodge, No. 754, I. O. G. T., last night the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing quarter: P. C. T., E. P. Taylor; O. T., J. A. Padgett; V. T., Miss Alice Hawkins; R. C. Sec., E. S. Cook; F. Sec., J. R. Mansfield; Treas., Miss Hattie Beatty; Chaplain, Miss Eliza Goodhand; Marshal, Arthur Davis; D. P. Marshal, Miss Fanny Dean; Guard, Harvey Hammond; Sentinel, J. A. F. Gower. Representative and alternate to the Grand Lodge which meets in this city in December, C. A. Bladen and E. P. Taylor. The following were recommended for appointment: Lodge Deputy, C. A. Bladen; Supt. Juv. Tm., Miss Hattie Beatty. All the officers will be installed by the new Lodge Deputy C. A. Bladen, next Monday night.

REQUIRE PRESTON DEAD.—After a lingering illness of over nine months Thomas Gardner Preston, for 15 years Justice of the Peace in Media, died at his home in Media on Wednesday night, aged 64. The cause of death was pulmonary consumption. Mr. Preston was a native of Alexandria, Va., and in early youth migrated to California, where he resided seven years. For many years he had been an invalid. His kindly bearing and large-heartedness won him many friends, all of whom will remember his many good qualities.—*Delaware Co., Pa., Record.*

Mr. Preston will be well remembered by all the older residents of this city. He was a brother of the late Miss Jane Eliza Preston who for many years was a school teacher here.

I. O. O. F. FAIR.—The I. O. O. F. fair last night drew the usual large crowd and was visited by the Knights of the Golden Eagle. To-night the Good Templars will attend the fair. The following is the vote for the various articles to be disposed of:

I. O. O. F. ring: T. Warnock, 13; P. C. Timberman, 18; G. W. B. Smith, 5.

I. O. O. F. P. G. regalia: C. T. Price, 5; G. S. Finch, 12; P. M. Bradshaw, 4.

Ladies' gold watch: Grace Marshall, 5; Grace Darling, 10; Rosie Cline, 8.

Ladies' diamond ring: Abbie Bettie, 6; Bertie Cox, 5; Lizzie Wheatley, 5; Mrs. A. A. Bull, 12; Mrs. Henry K. Kaff, 26.

Red Men's pin: C. G. Jiggs, 5; Harvey Hamilton, 4.

Mechanics' pin: Chauncey Davis, 7; W. M. Glasgow, 6.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was cloudy and cool till about 3 o'clock, when it became clear. There were five prisoners and one lodged at the station house.

Justice May presided at the Mayor's office to-day and disposed of the following cases:

Mary Richards, colored, arrested for obstructing a side walk, was fined \$1.

Thos. Arrington, charged with an assault on Laura Arrington, was put under bonds in the sum of \$100 to keep the peace for one year.

Geo. Milstead, for an assault on Susan Arrington, was fined \$5.

Thos. McKrall, Jas. Maloney and Jas. Edwards, arrested for vagrancy, were sent out of the city.

SHADE TREES.—This is the time of the year for planting trees. Nothing adds more to the beauty and comfort of a city than shade trees, to say nothing of the general benefit to the health and pleasure of the citizens derived from them in the hot summer season. It is estimated that fully 150 houses, large and small, have been erected during the past 10 months and, if the owners or the occupants of these and the old houses that have no trees will plant now, they will add generally to the attraction and value of their property. King street from Washington to the river and Union, are the only two streets that should be without such ornaments. Prices for young trees are now so low that almost every person can afford to buy the best varieties.

DEATHS.—Mrs. Sarah E. Crawford died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. H. L. Ramey, on Prince street, this morning. Mrs. Crawford came to this city a few months ago from Williamsport, Pa., and during her residence here made many friends who will regret to learn of her death.

Miss Mamie L. Colvin died at her home in this city yesterday evening of typhoid fever. Miss Colvin was highly esteemed and loved by all who knew her. Her death will be lamented by a large circle of relatives and friends. Her mother and brother, the remaining members of the family, are lying seriously ill with the same disease.

COUNTY DEMOCRATS.—At the regular meeting of the Lee Campaign Club, of the county, held at Walker School-house last night, the regular order of business was taken up and under a call for reports the committee on mass meeting reported that all arrangements had been made for Thursday night and that Gen. W. H. F. Lee and Hon. E. E. Meredith would address the meeting. Arrangements were also made for Lee meetings at Johnson's store, in Jefferson district, Friday night, and at Carney school house on Saturday night. Other current business was transacted and spirited addresses were made by gentlemen present.

DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS.—The City Democratic Committee have opened headquarters at Concordia Hall, corner of Prince and Royal streets, and from these headquarters will conduct an aggressive campaign from now till the night of election. Competent persons will be in charge of the rooms all the time to furnish all information needed as to the work to be done, and all democrats of the city are cordially invited to call. The committee are much encouraged at the political outlook in this city, and the reports from all other parts of the district leave no doubt of Gen. Lee's election by a good majority.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Judge Jas. Kelch held a special term of the Circuit Court for the county to-day to hear the will case of Alexander Chapman Williams vs. Louisa Horner et al., but on account of the illness of an important witness the case was continued and court adjourned till court in course—November 5th next.

In the case of Fletcher vs. Shipman, argument on a motion to dissolve an injunction was heard.

In the case of Mackay vs. Lloyd, an order was entered for the sale of quarry lot No. 10, near the China Bridge.

OPERA HOUSE.—The New York Theatre Co., gave their first performance here last night, opening with Jack's Sweetheart, before a large audience. The manner in which the play was rendered by this talented company won for them the admiration of all present. To-night this company will appear in the great drama entitled "Man and Master." They will appear every night this week, giving an entire change of bill nightly.

PAY OF GOVERNMENT TEAMSTERS.—The facts in the case as regards the pay of teamsters employed by the government at Fort Myer and Arlington, in the county, having been called to the attention of Gen. Dandy by Gen. Lee, as noticed in the GAZETTE a few days ago, Gen. Dandy has issued an order stating that it appearing that \$3 per day was inadequate, that the desired increase be made.

MASONIC MEETINGS.—The grand royal arch chapter of Virginia, A. F. and A. M., will convene in Roanoke this evening and the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar on Thursday in that city—not Richmond as stated yesterday. The chapter and commandery of this city will be represented by Messrs. F. A. Reed, E. E. Downham and E. L. Warfield.

PERSONAL.—Mr. B. H. Watte, has gone to Pittsburgh on a short visit.

Rev. J. B. Jones, of Millwood, Clarke county, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Francis S. Huck of Winchester, is visiting friends in this city.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that the caught cold, which settled on her lungs, she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. She bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.'s drug store (wholesale agents). Large bottles 50c and \$1.

Simmons Liver Regulator is the foe of malaria as it throws off the bile and prevents its accumulation.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

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Why suffer with dyspepsia, biliousness or any disease of the liver when you can be cured by Simmons Liver Regulator.

There is much in good blood; but if born of bad blood, "A. B. C. Alternative" is the only remedy.

Health brings happiness. Health can be secured by taking Simmons Liver Regulator.

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NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, choice, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

PRIME NEW BUCKWHEAT just received by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CAROLINA RICE just received by J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the city council will be held to-night.

The funeral of the late George W. Harper took place from his late residence on north St. Asaph street this morning.

The Richmond and Danville Railroad has recently purchased a number of new freight engines to meet the demand of increasing freight traffic.

The ladies who purpose taking part in the February fair, to be held next month, will hold a meeting at Armory Hall on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Wm. Garrett and Sarah Johnson, both of Fauquier county, Robt. H. Robinson and Egeles Woodbridge, both of Richmond, Va., and to James G. Speer and Lella J. Batterworth of Petersburg.

In the hurdle race at Bennings yesterday Village Boy stumbled in going over the last hurdle and pitched forward on his head. His neck was broken and he died instantly. Jenkins, the rider, had a narrow escape from being crushed.

During the time required for the repairing of the Custom House the federal office at that building will be located over the office of Messrs. Marbury & Armstrong, on King street.

The remains of Miss Jennie Walsh were brought here from Washington this evening for burial.

Rev. J. O. R. Corlies, pastor of the Methodist Church at New Gretna, Burlington county, N. J., writes very encouragingly as follows:

Dr. G. W. Kirk:

Dear Sir—About four years ago I took a heavy cold that resulted in a stubborn catarrh. It increased in severity, gradually extending downward to the pharynx and larynx, thence to the bronchia. The back part of my throat was covered with ulcers; my voice lost its strength and resonance, sometimes fading away into aspirations. To go out into cool air was to be filled up with phlegm and mucus until it was no pleasure to leave the house. I tried remedies official and roundels patented, with no relief, and the disease increasing in malignancy, Radam's Microbe Killer was suggested to me, and had some other than yourself had charge of it I should have dismissed it from my mind. Having confidence in your judgment, I felt "there must be something in it." A faithful use of the remedy has convinced me that there is salvation in it for every catarrhal sufferer. I feel improved in every way; health much improved, voice strong, discharges much less profuse, ulcers healed, hear excess gone, can get a full breath of air—in short, can say the remedy is all that is claimed for it. Yours, J. O. R. CORLIES.

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Shiloh's Consumption Cure

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10c, 50c, and \$1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Plaster. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

Coughs and colds kept off by taking Simmons Liver Regulator to regulate the system.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE. October 14, 1890.

The firm of HOWELL & GREENOUGH, Civil Engineers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

D. J. HOWELL.

EDWIN A. GREENOUGH.

All bills against the above firm should be presented to me for payment at my office, No. 939 F street n. w., Washington, D. C., where I will continue in business as a Surveyor and Landscape Architect.

D. J. HOWELL.

Both members of the said firm will continue a separate business at the same number. oct28 3c

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NEW YORK THEATRE COMPANY.

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POPULAR PRICES—10, 20 AND 30 CENTS.

Opening Bill,

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Reserved seats on sale at Allen's drug store. oct22 10c

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WANTED.

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TOOTH BRUSHES—A very large assortment of

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BEAR LITHIA WATER

at 25c per gallon at

sep2 J. D. H. LUNT'S.

CROSBY & BLACKWELL'S JAMS just received

by

oct3 J. C. MILBURN.

A FINE assortment of LEATHER-COLORED

HOSE and HALF HOSE at

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RED WARRIOR CHOPPING AXES, wholesale

and retail, at 89 King, corner of Royal at

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CALIFORNIA and TURKISH PRUNES re-

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BUTTER CUP CAKES and GINGER SNAPS

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POTTED MEATS, LUNCH OX TONGUE and

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There is no RADAM'S MICROBE KILLER is the most wonderful medicine, is because it has never failed in any instance, no matter what the disease, from LEPROSY to the simplest disease known to the human system. The scientific men of today claim and prove that every disease is

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Exterminates the Microbes and drives them out of the system, and when that is done you cannot have an ache or pain. No matter what the disease, whether a simple case of Malarial Fever or a combination of diseases, we cure them all at the same time, as we treat all diseases.

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WE HAVE THE

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ALL IN GREAT VARIETY.

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Four choice patterns at 75c; at 80c five very handsome designs; at \$1 five patterns specially rich and beautiful. Six patterns, in width from 68 to 72 inches, and specially fine, at \$1.25. These goods are the best values ever offered by us in Damasks, and as the prices on them will be very much higher, they will be a good investment to buyers. Napkins to match many of these patterns equally cheap.

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In these we offer equally good values at prices ranging from 12 1/2 to 50c. We call special attention to a lot at 17c—200 dozen. Extra large and choice Huck Towels at 22, and about eight handsome styles of very fine and choice Huck Towels at 25c.

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